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Dear Friend:

It is a pleasure to provide you with a copy of the Saint Cloud Hospital's Annual Report. I'm sure you will find that it contains a concise overview of our 1972-73 fiscal year which ended June 30.

We publish reports like this in order that people in our service area may have accurate information about their hospital, its staff, services, and fiscal matters available to them. I think you will find this report most interesting.

Thank you for your interest and support.

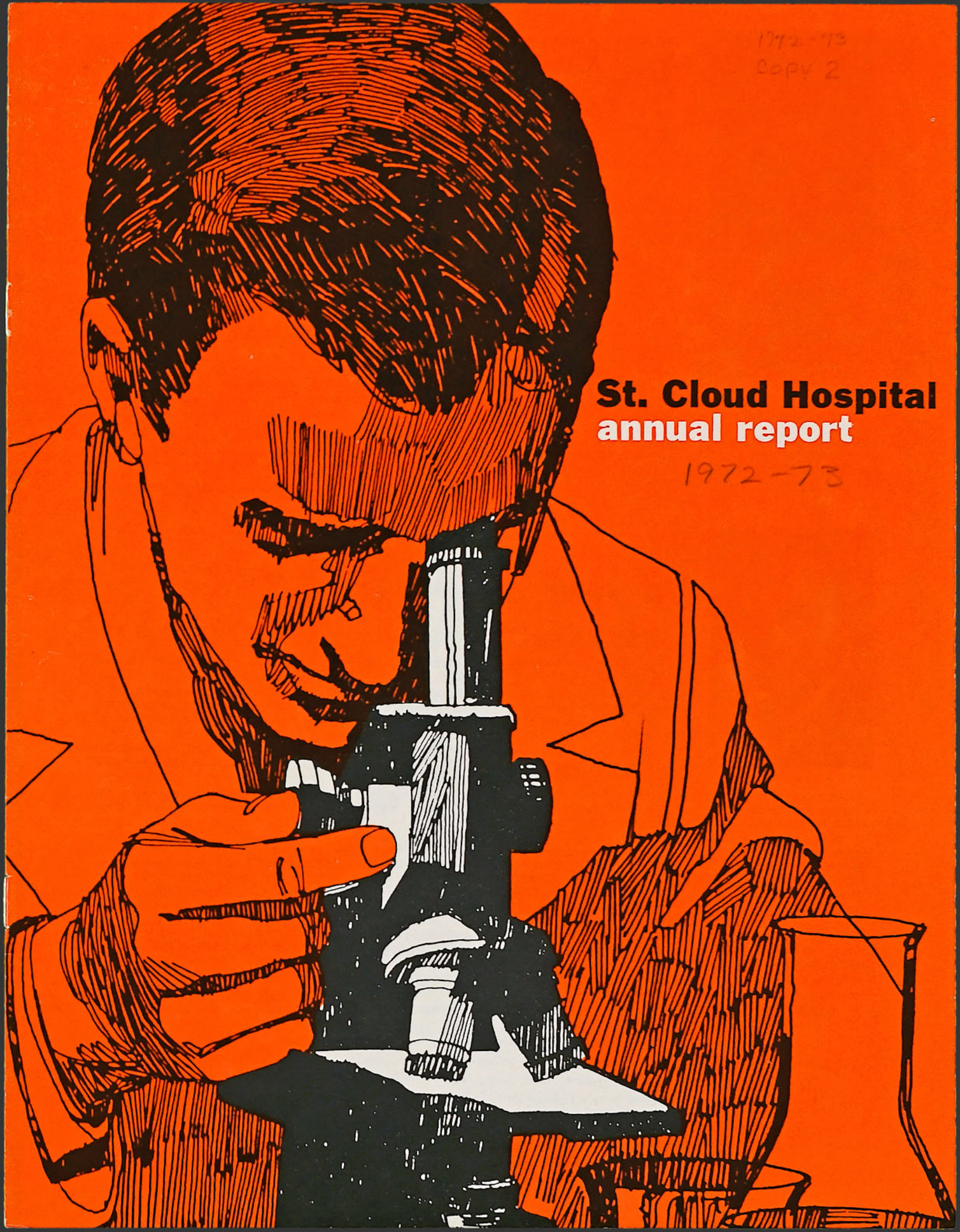
Sincerely,

Gene S. Bakke
Executive Vice President

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"life is what it's all about..."

St. Cloud Hospital has just completed its 87th year of service in the healing ministry. A glance over the year's activities points up the fact that at the hospital LIFE is the all-important concern. Human life—its mystery and giftedness, its sacredness, its value; human life wounded, diminished and threatened but nonetheless imaging God's life and destined for eternal union with Him—this is what the St. Cloud Hospital is all about.

That is why when we look back over the year we immediately think of the tragic event that not only called in question the value of human life but even denied it outright in the case of unborn children. The U.S. Supreme Court ruling of January 22 is a direct contradiction of the value system of St. Cloud Hospital, which in its philosophy affirms: "It is our privilege and our responsibility to protect and enhance life."

Our response to the ruling has been a reaffirmation of our belief in the sanctity of life and a renewed commitment to the saving and healing mission that is ours as a Catholic hospital. Called to mediate the healing grace of Christ in our era of depersonalized, computerized technology, the hospital community has resolutely set itself to continue to work for the preservation of life and of health.

One thrust in this effort has been the endorsement by the sponsoring body of the ETHICAL AND RELIGIOUS DIRECTIVES FOR CATHOLIC HEALTH FACILITIES, and their adoption by the Board of Trustees. This code, far from being merely a list of restrictive directives, is a positive document permeated with respect for the sanctity of life and the dignity of life and the dignity of the person. Clearly concerned with the highest moral values, it is directed toward safeguarding the total good of the patient. It is unmistakably based on the assumption that high quality of patient care is the objective of every Catholic health facility. During the year the Board of Trustees appointed a Liaison Committee on the Ethical and Religious Directives which now serves as a communication link with respect to these Directives between the hospital and the Chancery Office of the Diocese of St. Cloud.

The Board of Trustees is convinced that the responsibility entrusted to it by the Sisters of St. Benedict is that of guaranteeing the hospital's fidelity to the mission for which it was established, namely, in the words of the ETHICAL AND RELIGIOUS DIRECTIVES, to "witness to the saving presence of Christ and His Church in a variety of ways: By testifying to transcendent spiritual beliefs concerning life, suffering and death; by humble service to humanity and especially to the poor; by medical competence and leadership; and by fidelity to the Church's teachings while ministering to the good of the whole person."

SISTER HENRITA OSENDORF, O.S.B., Chairman, Board of Trustees



"a year of events..."

The past fiscal year has been a year of events which will have an immense impact on the operation of the hospital for years to come.

One of the most traumatic and threatening of these events was the infamous Supreme Court decision on abortion of January 22, 1973.

The policy position of the St. Cloud Hospital on this issue has been consistently articulated and widely promulgated over the years. Abortions will not be allowed to be performed on the premises, based on the simple and clear fact that abortion is the taking of an innocent, defenseless human life.

On the hopeful assumption that religious hospitals will not be forced to allow abortions, the situation, though deplorable, presents a significant opportunity for religious-sponsored hospitals to champion the cause of human life.

Another major impact during the past year has been the accelerated rush of government to impose constraining controls on the health care delivery system, particularly on hospitals, since they provide the most likely mechanism through which controls and constraints can have maximum impact.

The repressive constraint of health care services and cost has been revealed in the Economic Stabilization Program, efforts to discontinue support of numerous federal health programs, the assumption of professional services review as a governmental function, and increasingly regressive restraints on health planning, just to name a few. Viewed from a broad perspective, there is little doubt that an overall strategy exists, and that it is being carefully and methodically implemented.

Irrespective of the merits of government regulation, the fact is that government has moved rapidly in that direction and will continue to do so. The question is whether institutions like ours, differentiated by its private, voluntary, religious identity, will be able to maintain the viability and strength to survive the challenges presently faced, and new ones that are most certainly down the road. Ultimately, it gets to the question of whether the people are better served by a pluralistic, voluntary, religious-sponsored approach to the delivery of health care or whether a government owned and controlled system can do a better job.

While the Supreme Court decision and the emergence of government controls have consumed immense amounts of time and effort during the past year, we were still able to make some significant accomplishments:

The future operational plan, based on recommendations made by six broadly representative task forces has been adopted.

More people than ever in the history of the hospital (68,645) were cared for as outpatients and inpatients.

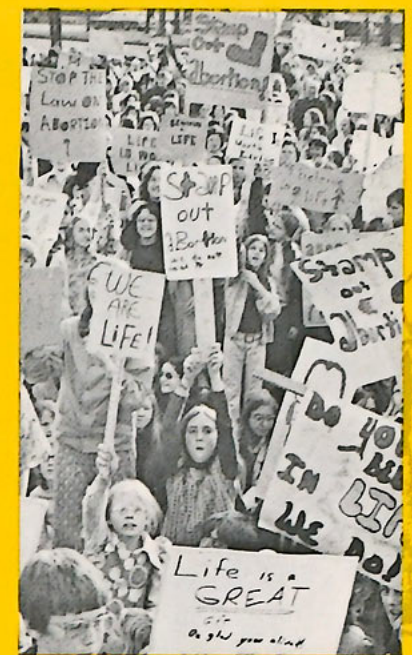
The final phase of the facilities expansion and renovation program, begun in 1966, was nearly completed.

The five-year payment period on pledges made during the Development Campaign in 1967-68 came to an end.

Rezoning of the hospital property to a Medical Service District was achieved and a new 250 car parking lot was constructed on the newly zoned property.

However, the real achievement is manifested in the health care services people receive. It is to that end that every thought and every decision must be directed.

GENE S. BAKKE, Executive Vice President



With only 4760 hours in a calendar year, St. Cloud Hospital employees gave patients over 2,939,700 hours of health care; an increase of 128,040 hours in one year. It's basic proof that the growing staff and services of the hospital are meeting the needs of the community and the Central Minnesota area that surrounds it.

Patient Charges	Amount		Percent	
	1973	1972	1973	1972
Room and Care	\$ 7,135,582	\$ 6,522,262	52.13%	54.78%
Nursery and Delivery Room ..	477,256	401,899	3.49	3.38
Operating Room	938,302	746,170	6.86	6.27
Central Service	702,546	600,847	5.13	5.05
Laboratories	1,148,224	1,027,666	8.39	8.63
Radiology	994,856	895,676	7.27	7.52
Pharmacy	950,842	833,561	6.95	7.00
Anesthesia & Recovery Room	462,349	407,539	3.38	3.42
Physical Therapy	378,428	305,131	2.76	2.56
Respiratory Therapy	174,546	122,685	1.27	1.03
Emergency-Outpatient	246,742	148,139	1.80	1.24
Other	210,409	184,692	1.54	1.55
Total	\$13,820,082	\$12,196,267	100.97%	102.43%
Less allowances to third parties	1,034,156	983,296	7.55	8.26
	\$12,785,926	\$11,212,971	93.42%	94.17%
Other Income	901,033	694,160	6.58	5.83
TOTAL INCOME	\$13,686,959	\$11,907,131	100.00%	100.00%
Operating Expenses				
Nursing Division	\$ 4,871,805	\$ 4,683,037	35.59%	39.33%
Professional Division	2,364,562	2,060,943	17.28	17.31
Rehabilitation Division	391,539	371,929	2.86	3.12
General Services Division ...	1,993,245	1,835,139	14.56	15.41
Fiscal Division	413,685	381,567	3.02	3.20
Personnel Division	1,037,470	889,393	7.58	7.47
Other	1,711,810	1,516,881	12.51	12.74
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$12,784,116	\$11,738,889	93.40%	98.58%
NET INCOME FOR INVESTMENT IN NEW SERVICES & EQUIPMENT ..	\$ 902,843	\$ 168,242	6.60%	1.42%

ASSETS

Patient Accounts
Receivable .. \$2,557,085

Inventories .. \$360,064

Land, Buildings and
Equipment \$19,308,609

Building Projects under
construction \$1,272,638

the
year
in
financial
review...

procedures, performance, both up

As the chart below so graphically shows, the health care services of the St. Cloud Hospital have again increased in most departments. New techniques in treatments and more people being treated as outpatients account for the largest increases over the past ten years.

Comparative figures from 1963 and the past year of 1973 show inpatients went from 13,591 to 16,528, where outpatients in '63 were 18,011, and last year were 39,019.

In the past decade pharmacy prescriptions rose from 144,652 to 369,163; X-rays from 36,789 to 43,613; volunteer hours, (including candy strippers) from 7,440 to 30,424; physical therapy treatments from 11,190 to 77,851.



	1972	1973
Inpatient admissions	16,078	16,528
Admissions, Extended Care Unit	260	261
Births	1,657	1,626
Patient days, "acute" hospital	120,905	122,490
Patient days in Extended Care Unit	4,832	4,757
Newborn Nursery days	6,326	6,250
Emergency outpatients	8,717	10,921
Other outpatients	36,810	39,019
Patients from St. Cloud	7,455	7,371
Other patients	10,309	10,764
Physicians on Medical Staff (all)	100	118
Dentists on Medical Staff (all)	17	16
Employees, full and part time	1,246	1,312
Blood transfusions (bottles)	2,714	3,801
Blood bank procedures	14,711	16,213
Clinical laboratory tests	335,960	345,611
Tissue examinations	17,523	20,815
Laboratory tests for other hospitals	997	981
Electroencephalograms	603	775
Electrocardiograms	7,452	7,488
X-ray examinations	40,113	43,613
Radiation therapy	3,269	3,524
Radioisotope scans	682	820
Surgical procedures in O.R.	6,308	6,892
Physical therapy treatments	70,640	77,851
Speech and hearing services (patients)	104	138
Pharmacy prescriptions	305,317	369,163
Meals served	657,255	638,424
Purchase orders issued	5,813	5,865
Value of supplies from storeroom	\$854,656	\$939,745
Pounds of linen processed	1,766,212	1,800,907





the medical staff

HONORARY MEDICAL STAFF

Dr. H. B. Clark
Dr. C. S. Donaldson
Dr. P. L. Halenbeck
Dr. W. B. Richards

ACTIVE MEDICAL STAFF

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Dr. P. C. Bauman
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Dr. P. R. Berger
Dr. J. B. Beuning
Dr. M. S. Bozanich
Dr. H. J. Brattensborg
Dr. H. M. Broker
Dr. F. T. Brown
Dr. R. J. Cesnik
Dr. T. L. Cress
Dr. R. J. Cumming
Dr. L. V. Dahlquist
Dr. E. H. Dziubinski
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Dr. A. D. Espelien
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Dr. J. M. Gacusana
Dr. J. W. Wahl

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Dr. R. E. Backus
Dr. C. C. Baker
Dr. F. H. Baumgartner
Dr. H. Berris
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Dr. G. C. Carlson
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Dr. R. G. Tinkham
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Dr. T. H. Dedolph
Dr. H. S. Elliott
Dr. J. F. Kline
Dr. J. H. Kropp
Dr. R. J. Lorbiecki
Dr. D. J. Mackinac
Dr. J. A. Muenzhuber
Dr. B. L. Pihlstrom
Dr. D. C. Pull
Dr. R. G. Schaefer
Dr. Arlen Simi
Dr. Roland Stromsborg

COURTESY DENTAL STAFF

Dr. J. M. Pike
Dr. J. B. Pike

the past year

July, 1972

Dale J. Stein replaced Harry J. Knevel as Director of Professional Services Division.

Harry J. Knevel became Director of the Nursing Division when Sister Paul Logan left the Saint Cloud Hospital for a 2-year educational leave of absence. Sister Paul is studying for her Masters Degree in Hospital Administration at St. Louis University.

Two new members were elected to the St. Cloud Hospital's Board of Trustees. Named to three-year terms were Cy Kuehler, a local realtor, and Sister Helena Mueller, O.S.B., Director of Formation for the Sisters of the Order of St. Benedict. They replaced Mother Richarda Peters, O.S.B., and Eldon Siehl whose terms of office had expired.

Dr. John Wahl, a pediatrician, joined the Medical Staff.

Dr. Thomas L. Cress, a St. Cloud pediatrician and a member of the St. Cloud Hospital Medical Staff, was elected a fellow in the American Academy of Pediatrics.

The School of Nursing received two grants from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare... \$36,309 for loans and scholarships for students, and \$46,103 for the Student Capitation Program.

August, 1972

Michael C. Becker, Director of Social Service for the past three years, was appointed Director of the Rehabilitation Services Division.

Gene S. Bakke, Executive Vice President, was advanced to fellowship status in the American College of Hospital Administrators (ACHA) at Convention Ceremonies in Chicago, Illinois. The College is comprised of 9,500 leading hospital and health care administrative personnel in the United States and Canada.

Dr. Richard A. Schlorf, a specialist in Otolaryngology, joined the Medical Staff.

The "Reach to Recovery" program, sponsored by the Saint Cloud Hospital and the American Cancer Society, began with volunteers assisting patients who have undergone breast surgery for cancer.

A new bicycle rack was installed for use by visitors and personnel.

Five staff members attended a workshop to prepare themselves as coordinators of future personal dynamics courses. Attending the sessions conducted by Robert Joyce, Chairman of the Philosophy Departments at St. Benedict's and St. John's were: Connie Moline, Mike Becker, Mary Jane Schoffman, Dale Stein and Ed Tschimperle.

September, 1972

Duane Murray was appointed Chief Inhalation Therapist.

Pauline Page, chairman of St. Cloud

Hospital United Way campaign, announced that hospital employees had contributed over \$12,000 to the St. Cloud Area United Way.

A Seminar on "What Do You Know About VD in the St. Cloud Hospital Area?" for public health nurses, doctor's office personnel and others was held at Saint Cloud Hospital on September 12.

Nine students graduated from the School of X-ray Technology: Pat Miller, Wayne Chirhart, Sue Westerlund, Char Worm, Mary Copeland, Mary Keller, Kateri Stawarski, Rosalyn Hermanson and Warren Rosen.

Sister Rita Tobin, Radiologic Technologist, left the Saint Cloud Hospital for an 18-month tour of duty with the Tom Dooley Foundation, serving the medical needs of the people in Laos.

Colleen Burgoyne, Assistant Head Nurse in the Nursery, attended a five-day symposium at St. Paul Children's Hospital Newborn Center on "The Sick Newborn." She was one of 27 nurses from 19 community hospitals learning the newest techniques available to recognize symptoms of illness in newborn, to care for the sick infant, and to determine when and how to prepare a baby for transfer to a regional intensive care center.

Chuck Rice was appointed Director of the Department of Social Service.

Neurosurgeons from the University of Minnesota School of Medicine began consulting services for Saint Cloud Hospital patients every Friday. The consultations, on physician referral only, are also conducted for outpatients in the Emergency/Outpatient Department. Participating neurosurgeons are Dr. Lyle A. French, Dr. Shelley N. Chow, Dr. James I. Ausman, Dr. Donlin M. Long, Dr. Robert E. Maxwell and Dr. Edward L. Seljeskog.

Dr. LaRue Dahlquist, a member of the Saint Cloud Hospital Staff, was named a diplomat of the American Board of Family Practice (ABFP), following a two-day written examination. He is now certified in the new medical specialty, Family Practice.

Goofy, Pluto and Winnie the Pooh visited Saint Cloud Hospital's Pediatrics Unit while they were in Minnesota for the Disney on Parade show in Minneapolis.

October, 1972

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Act) Task Force held its first meeting on October 5th. Members of the task forces are: Dale Stein, John Seelhammer, Carol Borman, Ron Spanier, Bill Preisler and Mike Seitz.

The National Institute of Health announced the grant of \$3.4 million to the University of Minnesota to provide for the establishment of an Area Health Center (AHEC) in St. Cloud, in cooperation with a local consortium of health care and educational institutions organized by Saint Cloud Hospital.

The Saint Cloud Hospital announced the establishment of a formal sliding payment scale which may be used by low income people in meeting their hospital expenses, providing for monthly payments with no interest charge on the balance owed. The program, announced by Gene S. Bakke, Executive Vice President of the hospital, evolved through the work of a small committee made up of hospital personnel and PUSH (People United for Sound Health), a local group

organized to assist low income people in obtaining appropriate health care.

Dr. Louis H. Wittrock, a member of the Saint Cloud Hospital Medical Staff, was elected a charter fellow of the American Academy of Family Physicians at the National Scientific Assembly in New York City.

The Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America of the St. Cloud Area presented Saint Cloud Hospital Speech and Hearing Services with an overhead projector, valued at \$200, and purchased from proceeds of the annual show in April.

Jean Laudenbach, Occupational Therapy Chief at the Saint Cloud Hospital, was appointed to the academic rank of Supervisor of Clinical Instruction in Occupational Therapy at the University of North Dakota.

Jane Ceynar, a graduate of the School of Laboratory Technology and a Lab Tech for the past nine years, was appointed Director of the School, replacing Mrs. Mary Thelen.

Dr. Myung C. Park, Urologist, a native of Seoul, Korea, joined the Medical Staff.

November, 1972

Annadale area residents celebrated an "open house" at the Bendix Elementary School. The new school was named after Dr. L. H. Bendix, a member of the Medical Staff, who has served on the Annadale School Board for 30 years, most of that time as chairman.

Dr. Charles Ehlen, Urologist, joined the Medical Staff.

The Otto Bremer Foundation of St. Paul provided a grant of \$3,000 to the Alcohol and Chemical Addiction Center for use in the purchase of equipment.

David Munsinger was appointed Chief Physical Therapist in charge of in-hospital programs.

The State Board of Health approved the purchase of a new \$60,000 scintillation camera for the Nuclear Medicine Lab in the Radiology Department. The machine is used to detect abnormalities in vital organs by following small amounts of radioisotope materials injected into the blood stream of the patient.

A new program for the blind and near blind has been developed by the Occupational Therapy Department which includes Activities of Daily Living (ADL) and self-care training plus an automatic referral to State Services for the Blind and to local ophthalmologists.

December, 1972

The "Singing Saints," all male chorus from the St. Cloud area, presented a concert for patients, visitors and employees.

January, 1973

Dr. C. S. Donaldson and Dr. W. B. Richards, both general practice physicians who have been members of the St. Cloud Hospital Medical Staff since 1953, retired on January 1.

Ralph Vasek, from Grand Forks, North Dakota, began duties as Executive Housekeeper on January 15. Ralph replaced Sister Bernadine who transferred to St. Benedict's Hospital, Ogden, Utah.

The Auxiliary of the Stearns-Benton County Medical Society gave \$500 to the Alcohol and Chemical Addiction Center on 2 South, for use in purchasing educational films and other materials for the unit.

The staff of our Alcohol and Chemical Addiction Unit and the Department of Spiritual Care sponsored a seminar on the "Effect of Alcoholism on the Family" on January 23. Rev. Phil Hansen, Director of the Chemical Addiction Unit

at Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis and Pat Spauling, Director of the State Commission on Alcohol Problems, were the speakers.

The St. Cloud Hospital and the Stearns-Benton Medical Society jointly sponsored a planning session to establish a Health Career Explorer Post. About 250 young men and women attended. St. Cloud Hospital staff members and physicians will act as advisors for the Explorer Post. Mike Becker is administrative representative. Post activities will take members into most hospital departments to learn about them.

February, 1973

Dr. Joseph M. Gacusana, anesthesiologist, joined the St. Cloud Hospital staff.

The St. Cloud City Planning Commission unanimously approved the request by the St. Cloud Hospital to rezone most of the hospital property from residential to a new Medical Services District.

Gene S. Bakke was appointed a member of the American Hospital Association Committee on Hospital Chaplaincy.

March, 1973

Sister Monica Roy was recognized for her contributions during the past 5 years by the St. Cloud Hospital Social Service Department during National Social Workers Month. St. Cloud Hospital was one of the first general, community hospitals to offer social service. Since 1970 referrals and patient contact have increased 275 percent.

Thomas J. McLaughlin, Assistant Administrator and Director of Personnel Services, was named Director of the Central Minnesota Area Health Education Consortium effective March 12.

April, 1973

Mike Seitz was appointed Safety-Security Manager.

Gene S. Bakke was elected Vice President of the Board of Directors of the new Pope John XXIII Medical-Moral Research and Educational Center, sponsored by the Catholic Hospital Association.

Sam Wenstrom, Director of Public Relations since January, 1968, was appointed Director of the Personnel and Public Relations Services Division. Sam succeeds Tom McLaughlin.

Mrs. Bernadette Spoden was appointed Supervisor of the new Coffee-Gift Shop.

Terry Heinen, Data Processing Department Manager, made a presentation on the St. Cloud Hospital Lab. Reporting System for CUBE (Cooperating Users of Burroughs Equipment) in Miami.

May, 1973

Fifty-three seniors graduated from the St. Cloud School of Nursing. Gene S. Bakke was speaker at the Commencement exercise held at St. Paul's Church.

June, 1973

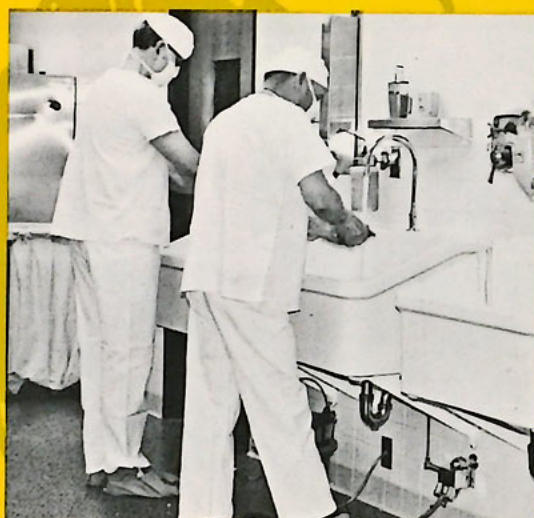
Sally Grabuski was appointed Director of Continuing Education. Sally, the Assistant Director for two years, replaced Ed Tschimperle who took a position at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester.

Jeff Blair joined the St. Cloud Hospital staff as the new Director of Public Relations.

Jean Haley, R.N., was appointed Head Nurse for 2 North. She had been Assistant Head Nurse on 4 South.

Sister Marion Sauer was named Director of Admissions replacing Sister Rita Budig who resigned to accept a position as Administrator of the Assumption Nursing Home in Cold Spring, Minn.

Gene S. Bakke was elected to serve on the Board of Directors of Minnesota Blue Cross-Blue Shield.



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